

Translation of letter from Department of Environmental Management,
Municipality Leiden to Mentor Medical Systems B.V. 28 January 1999

Subject: Environmental Management Act;
Confirmation of receipt and acknowledgement of notification
Art. 8.19 of the Environmental Management Act with respect
to the plant located at the Einsteinweg 5

Dear Mr Smit,

This is to confirm receipt of the Notification submitted by you on 25 January 1999 regarding Art. 8.19 of the Environmental Management Act (Wm). In this notification you indicate that one room will be used for different purposes. The notification relates to your environmental permit number 15340/93, issued to you on 3 September 1993, and relating to the plant situated at the above-mentioned address.

The notification has been registered under number 15656/99 and has in the meantime been evaluated. We approve the notification because the modification will in our opinion, ".... not affect the nature and dimensions, or will only positively affect the extent of the negative effects on the environment caused by the plant" (Art. 8.19 Wm (Environmental Management Act)).

For information relating to the procedural handling, please contact Ms R.C.M. Beugelsdijk, tel.: (071) 5167560 and for meritorious information please contact Mr M.A. de Maine, tel.: (071) 5167537.

by order of
Burgomaster and Aldermen of Leiden

signed by
R.C.M. Beugelsdijk